Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Saturday 10 Oct 2020 until 23:59 on Sunday 11 Oct 2020

Forecast Issued on Friday 09 Oct 2020 at 14:17 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for a showery, quite windy weather in the hills on Saturday and Monday with a window of drier, brighter weather and lighter winds on Sunday.

Headline for Saturday 10 Oct 2020: Further showers, frequent in north. Drier, brighter Perthshire hills, Ochils.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 10 Oct 2020

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Light rain showers (night)	Light rain showers (night)	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
50%	40%	40%	40%	40%	30%	20%	20%

Forecast for Saturday 10 Oct 2020

Weather: Further showers, most frequent over the Aberdeenshire hills with still the odd heavier one. Fewer showers towards the Ben Lawers Group and the Ochils with more in the way of sunshine.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 80% best in south. Occasional cloud cover 600 to 700m, briefly extensive as showers pass by.

Visibility: Good becoming temporarily poor as showers pass by.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	23/29 W	26/32 W	24/30 NW	22/29 NW	26/35 NW	26/35 NW	26/36 NW	28/38 NW	26/36 NW
900	17/23 W	18/24 W	16/23 NW	17/23 NW	21/30 NW	20/29 NW	20/29 NW	21/31 NW	20/30 NW
600	14/23 W	13/22 W	10/20 NW	11/18 NW	14/24 NW	14/25 NW	13/25 NW	14/25 NW	13/25 NW
300	7/17 W	6/15 W	6/17 N	7/16 NW	10/20 NW	10/23 NW	9/21 NW	9/21 NW	8/19 NW
Glen	6/15 W	5/13 SW	5/14 NW	4/12 W	8/18 NW	8/20 NW	8/20 NW	8/19 NW	7/17 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	-1/-8	-0/-7	1/-6	1/-6	1/-6	1/-6	1/-6	0/-7	0/-7
900	1/-5	1/-4	2/-3	3/-3	3/-2	3/-2	3/-3	2/-4	2/-4
600	3/-2	3/-1	4/0	4/1	6/1	5/1	5/1	4/0	4/-0
300	4/1	5/3	6/4	7/5	8/6	8/6	7/5	7/4	7/4
Glen	4/2	5/3	6/4	8/6	9/8	9/7	8/6	8/5	8/6
Freezing Level*	1000m	1200m	1200m	1200m	1300m	1300m	1300m	1300m	1200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Feeling cold over higher ridges/summits due to combination of fresh to strong winds, low temperatures and passing showers.

Forecast for Sunday 11 Oct 2020
Weather: A drier and brighter day with some sunshine. There will still be a few light showers, mainly Aberdeenshire hills during the morning.

Maximum wind: Fresh northwest winds on the tops at first, average speeds of 20mph at first then winds becoming light at all levels.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 80% with patchy cloud cover about 700m covering the tops at times.

Visibility: Very good.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 1 Celsius rising to 12 Celsius, falling sharply towards dusk.
At 800m: Plus 3 Celsius
Freezing level: 1200m

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